

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace paragraph [0015] spanning pages 4 and 5 of the specification with the amended paragraph as follows:

[0015] In assembly, the stud 40 with the nut 42 in place is extended through the attachment 44 and the engagement plate 24. This assembly is then positioned with the stud 40 extending through the cord space between the legs 14 of the beam of the steel web joist. The stud 40 is then threaded into the anchor plate 20. The nut is next tightened to a torque minimum of 40 ft. lbs. Various adapters may be employed with this system and the orientation of the adapters can vary. The adapter is placed within six inches of the attachment point of any cord element to the upper angle element pair. The taper on the tongue 34 and the extensions of the shoulders 36 ~~and provides~~ provide an interlocking effect to accommodate variations in the cord space of the associated beam of the steel web joist.